Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Washington, DC 20554

| In the Matter of |) | |
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| Connect America Fund |) | WC Docket No. 10-90 |
| A National Broadband Plan for Our Future | <u> </u> | GN Docket No. 09-51 |
| Establishing Just and Reasonable Rates for Local Exchange Carriers |) | WC Docket No. 07-135 |
| High-Cost Universal Service Support | \langle | WC Docket No. 05-337 |
| Developing an Unified Intercarrier Compensation Regime |) | CC Docket No. 01-92 |
| Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service | ,) | CC Docket No. 96-45 |
| Lifeline and Link-Up | ,) | WC Docket No. 03-109 |
| Universal Service Reform - Mobility Fund | } | WT Docket No. 10-208 |

AFFIDAVIT OF JERRY REISENAUER IN SUPPORT OF WEST RIVER COOPERATIVE TELEPHONE COMPANY'S REQUEST FOR DATA CORRECTION

- I, Jerry Reisenauer, being of lawful age and duly sworn, state as follows:
- 1. My name is Jerry Reisenauer. My business address is 801 Coleman Ave., P.O. Box 39, Bison, SD 57620. My title is General Manager of West River Cooperative Telephone Company ("West River") and I have worked for the cooperative in a management capacity since 1987, and have been in the General Manager position since 2001. I am responsible for overseeing the daily operations of West River, regulatory affairs, project

- development, network deployment decisions and general management duties of the cooperative.
- I submit this affidavit in support of West River Cooperative Telephone Company's Request for Data Correction.
- I hereby verify that as the General Manager of West River, I have reviewed the
 documentation submitted in support of West River's Request for Data Correction and
 verify the accuracy of the information submitted.
- 4. The underlying data inputs used by the Commission to conduct the regression analysis calculations contained significant errors. The Commission's data input file indicated 260.557 square miles as the land area served by West River, containing 564 housing units.
- 5. As established by the supporting documentation, I hereby verify that the actual land area served by West River is 6,209 square miles covering South Dakota, North Dakota and Montana, in which West River actually serves 3,526 housing units.
- 6. Working with various industry associations, I, as General Manager of West River, have made several concerted efforts to bring the incorrect data to the Commission's attention, including highlighting the incorrect data in comments filed by the South Dakota Telecommunications Association on February 17, 2012, filing a written ex parte on March 2, 2012, and participating in an ex parte meeting at the Commission on March 19, 2012.
- 7. To date, despite repeated attempts on the part of West River to get the errors remedied, including an in-person, ex parte meeting at the Commission on March 19, 2012, the Commission has not corrected West River's data errors. If left uncorrected, the

erroneous data upon which the Commission relied will result in significant reductions to West River's universal service support.

8. This completes my affidavit.

VERIFICATION

I, Jerry Reisenauer, declare under penalty of perjury that the statements in this Affidavit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Jerry Reisenauer General Manager

West River Cooperative Telephone Company

801 Coleman Ave.

P.O. Box 39

Bison, SD 57620

| Subscribed and sworn to before me, this |
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| Notary Public, Perkins County, South Dakota |
| Acting in the County of Perking |
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